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SATURDAY, JUNE 27TH, 1903.

PROTECTION OF FUR BEARING ANIMALS AND GAME BIRDS

The following letter was read at a recent meeting of the Edmonton Gun club by Harrison S. Young, fisheries overseer. We publish it at the request of the secretary of the gun club trusting that the letter will bring home to the proper authorities the absolute necessity for legislation to protect the fur-bearing animals of the Canadian far northwest.

The President and Members of the Edmonton Gun Club.

Gentlemen:—At the last meeting of your club I read to you an article dealing with the matter of the better protection of feathered game, deer and fur-bearing animals in the district of Alberta, and I think that letter, owing to the support given it by your organization, has aroused considerable interest in this matter, and has, I think, done some good along the lines we are aiming at, the better protection and preservation of fur-bearing animals and game birds.

In this letter I will only deal with the question of the protection of the fur-bearing animals in the unorganized district of the north. In these districts the protection of game and all animals is one coming under the control of the Dominion government, and the importance of the interests involved makes it a matter deserving of all attention.

It is strange that though there are many Canadian fur dealers in Canada, some of them have ever been represented in the Edmonton market, while American firms have always been represented. Edmonton is today one of the largest markets for the sale of raw furs direct from the hands of the trappers.

It may surprise many of you, not very familiar with the trade, to learn that of the large quantity of fur annually brought in here, not more than one half will grade No. 1, and a quarter of it will grade No. 3 and lower. What would you think of a farmer who killed or sold his steers when they were in poor order, or cut his crop before it was ripe? Yet that is exactly what is being done in the fur trade today. Bears are killed in summer, value fifty cents; same skin killed in season, value \$15. Silver foxes killed too early or too late in the season are worth perhaps five dollars, while the same skins, killed in season, are often worth five hundred dollars and the same is true of all other kinds of furs. Neither the Hudson's Bay Company nor any other trader wants these poor skins. The only reason they trade them is that the trapper says, "Buy my poor furs, or if you don't, I will not give you my good furs when I have any." Competition is keen and one trader is afraid of the other, so the trapper forces their hands. The Indian trapper has, I suppose, a vested right in the fur of the north, but he certainly does not own it. The fur of the north is a valuable asset of the Dominion, as much so as is timber and fish. An Indian has no care for tomorrow, so I think the government should step in and prevent them from destroying recklessly their only present means of making their living, and preserve as long as possible the rich fur preserves of the north.

There is, in my opinion, only one way to stop this evil, and that is to prohibit the export of furs of a low or unprime grade. When traders find they cannot sell these skins, they will cease buying them and be glad to do it. The Indian will stop killing because he would not be able to sell either, and would have no complaint against the government for any stoppage of rights he may consider himself possessed of.

I have spoken on this subject with such well-known men in the fur trade as Messrs. McDougall & Secord, Ross Bros., Bredin & Cornwall, James Bishop of Bishop & Nagle, W. Connor, Ellis & Swigert, Colin Fraser, Stewart & Gilmer, Thos. Houston, representing Ullman & Company, and many others, and I know they all endorse my ideas on this subject, both as to the extent of the evil and the means to be adopted for its suppression.

There is no organization existing in Canada today which can count amongst its members so many men having a

knowledge of the matter I am writing about tonight as your club, and for this reason I am pleased to have your endorsement of my views on this question, and trust you will be able to take such action as will bring the matter to the notice of those having authority to stop the present waste and loss to the country now going on by the killing of fur-bearing animals out of season.

I would wish to make a special plea for the beaver. This most valuable, but defenceless, animal is surely and rapidly being exterminated, and I would wish to impress on you the necessity of having it protected. I myself, have seen it disappear from large tracts of this country. In Peace River, once thought to be the very home of the beaver, it is about killed out, another year or two will do the business. All over the country it is the same. There is now only one place where they are really plentiful, and that is the country north and west of Fort de L'air on the Laird River, and the streams tributary to it. Here they are being surrounded, and it will be only a short time when what has happened elsewhere, will happen there. The beaver is a valuable animal, and, if given a decent chance to live, will be a source of livelihood, as well as revenue, to the Indians for years to come. They are being protected now all over the country in places where they are practically almost extinct; would it not be wise, in this case, of the northern country to afford a measure of protection while there are some still in existence.

If this letter only succeeds in drawing attention to the extermination of beaver now going on and secures some measure of protection for them, I will feel well satisfied at having written it. I have the honor to remain, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,

HARRISON S. YOUNG.

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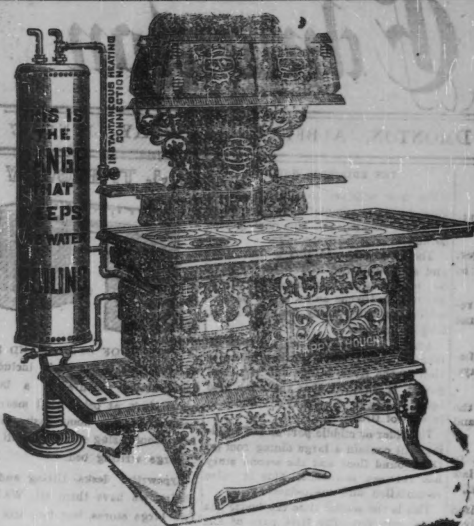
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Mr. and Mrs. F. Seagert and Family moved out from town last week to reside on their property, Punchin Farm, for the summer.

Miss Lavina Wall has returned home after a week's visit to Edmonton.

F. Lamoureux and Miss M. J. Lamoureux, of Lamoureux district, were visiting here on Sunday last.

The crushing outfit of the Messrs. Allan was kept busy all last week by the numerous farmers who patronize the establishment, at the various times it is running. No more crushing will be done until next fall.

Mr. W. Clark is at present enjoying a visit from his father, who is a rancher near Medicine Hat. It being several years since Mr. Clark has seen his son, he will extend his visit to several weeks.

Contractor Ball failed to put in an appearance at the appointed time last week therefore building operations on the new schoolhouse have not yet commenced. Mr. Abc Lehman, who has the contract to plow and fence the grounds, is making such headway with the work that it will be finished this week.

It is some years since we have enjoyed such a delightful season as this one. It is as if there had been no late spring at all, the grain is well advanced and the weather perfect. It leaves nothing to be desired but that it continues.

While driving through Clover Bar recently, your correspondent had occasion to pass a field belonging to Mr. John Duguid, a former resident of our district, which was covered with a growth of grain the equal of which is not to be found on this side of the river. Both the wheat and oats as well as the barley, stand considerably over a foot high and are of splendid quality. People who think that good crops cannot be raised on river flats would do well to drive over and take a look at Mr. Duguid's grain, and they will be convinced.

The following incident will tend to show that it does not pay to shoot game when out of season. A farmer in the neighborhood recently saw some ducks in a slough near his house, and thinking that it would be a rare opportunity to have a change of food, he brought his gun and opened fire on them. Imagine the farmer's surprise and his wife's indignation, when on returning to the house he found that he had shot two brace of his own domestic ducks.

Great preparations are being made for the sunset picnic which is to be held next Saturday, the 27th, near Archie Clark's residence. Games of all sorts are booked for afternoon and evening. A jolly good time is anticipated by all as gatherings of this nature have been few and far between of late years. Everybody is invited. That game and fish should be protected and that the law prohibiting the use of seines and nets is a good one, cannot be denied. But that the sawmills along the Saskatchewan river should be allowed to dump their sawdust into the river and thereby cause the death of multitudes of fish, is a problem which nobody seems to pay any attention to. If the authorities catch a person getting a net although that person's intention was only to catch a fresh fish for his dinner, he is fined ten dollars, but if he saws out from the mill is the cause of destroying thousands of fish annually, then not a word is heard. It would seem as if the sawmills had the monopoly of the whole river, fish included. Dead fish are continuously floating along the banks of the river, which must no doubt accumulate in the dams of driftwood and the eddies and cause a very offensive odor in the hot weather until the high water comes to them on to Lake Winnipeg. If some of the local sportsmen who are enthusiastic enough about such matters, would gently, yet firmly, raise a dissenting voice and notify the proper authorities, then the destruction might possibly be stopped.

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